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# MULTIMEDIA UNIVERSITY

## FINAL EXAMINATION

TRIMESTER 3, 2017/2018

### BMK3074 - GLOBAL MARKETING

(All sections / Groups)

04 JUNE 2018 2.30 pm – 4.30 pm (2 Hours)

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENTS

- 1. This Question paper consists of 2 pages only (including cover page) with 5 Questions only.
- 2. Answer ALL the questions. The distribution of the marks for each question is given.
- 3. Please write all your answers in the Answer Booklet provided.

Answer ALL the questions.

#### **QUESTION 1**

After evaluating identified segments, decisions have to be made whether to pursue a particular opportunity or not. Assuming the decision is made to proceed, an appropriate targeting strategy must be developed. Explain the THREE categories of target marketing strategies and how they can be implemented

(Total 20 marks)

#### **QUESTION 2**

A true global strategic partnership is unique and different. Using the example of Sony's strategic alliance with Samsung, discuss FIVE attributes that are needed for a productive global strategic partnership.

(Total 20 marks)

#### **QUESTION 3**

When Kraft Foods launched Oreo brand cookies in China in 1996, they found that Oreo was too sweet for the Chinese palate, and the price was too low. Oreo reformulated a less-sweet chocolate-covered wafer and increased its price. Discuss the FIVE strategic alternatives that marketers has to consider during the global product planning process.

(Total 20 marks)

#### **QUESTION 4**

Because of its size and presence in more than 200 countries, the Coca-Cola Company is often the target of anti-globalization protests. Compare and contrast publicity and public relations and identify global companies that have recently been impacted by negative publicity.

(Total 20 marks)

#### **QUESTION 5**

If a Lexus car is priced in U.S. dollars and sold at the dollar converted price in Indian rupees, what sorts of problems can be expected? Discuss THREE alternative positions a company can take on worldwide pricing.

(Total 20 marks)

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